



Year 2 Curriculum Planner Autumn 2024

English

- Use capital letters and punctuation accurately.
- Use time connectives to sequence events.
- Identify the features of instructional texts

Maths

- Recognise the place value of each digit in a two-digit number.
- Recognise, compare and order numbers from 0 up to 100; use <, > and = sign.

Science

Healthy Animals & Materials Matter

- Explore the useful properties of materials.
- Understand that exercise makes the heart work harder and is an essential part of a healthy lifestyle.

Art

- Explore composition by arranging the things collected.
- Combine different drawing media in observational drawings.

DT

- To design and plan a stable structure.
- To follow a design plan and make a product.

RE

- To learn the names, clothing, places of worship, holy books and duties of local religious leaders.
- To investigate how Christmas is celebrated by Christians around the world.

Geography

- Name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans in the context of Africa (Kenya).
- Use simple compass directions (North, South, East and West) and locational and directional language to describe the location of features and routes on a map.

Computing

- Recognise common types of technology
- Demonstrate how IT devices work together.

French

- Respond to words and phrases in familiar stories.

History

- Use a wide vocabulary of everyday historical terms including those related to the passing of time e.g. before, after, a long time ago.
- Compare aspects of life in different periods.

Music

- Use their voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes.
- Play tuned and untuned instruments musically.

P.E.

- Use a wide range of balances.
- Perform sequences of their own composition with coordination.

PSHE – Value is Respect

- Use a range of words to describe feelings;
- Recognise that people have different ways of expressing their feelings;

Suggestions for ways to support at home:

Topic – Sensational Safari (Geography)

Useful websites

- -<https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/games>
- -<https://britishwildlifecentre.co.uk/>

Topic – The Great Fire of London (history)

Useful websites

- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zdyhn9q/articles/z4msn9q>
- -<https://www.museumoflondon.org.uk/museum-london/great-fire>

Reminders and key dates

PE – Tuesday and Friday

Term starts: Wednesday 4th September

Parent Talk: Monday 9th September

Half term: Monday 28th October - Friday 1st November

INSET DAYS – 4th /5th November (chn back on 6th)

Individual and sibling photos: 6th November

Parents evening: week beginning 11th November

Flu vaccination: 25th November

School Christmas dinner: Wednesday 11th December

Nativity performance: 16th December 2:00, 17th December 9:15 and 2:00

Carol Concert: Wednesday 18th December (provisionally booked)

Class Christmas parties: 19th December

End of Term: Friday 20th December – 1:15pm finish

2M class assembly: 16th May

2T class assembly: 23rd May